

CSU Policy Recommendations (Enforcement and Legal Issues)

The primary objectives of alcohol enforcement should center on the health and welfare of members of the campus community; the promotion of legal and responsible behavior; an environment supportive of learning; and should facilitate the prevention, assessment, early intervention, and treatment of alcohol-related problems.

Recommendation #1: Provide an educational program to make students aware of the risks attendant on illegal and irresponsible consumption of alcohol.

Recommendation # 2: Inform and distribute to students all campus alcohol-related regulations and policies.

Recommendation # 3: Reinforce legal and responsible student behavior.

Recommendation # 4: Enforce campus rules as well as state and local laws and regulations. For example, post the most relevant penal code sections on campus websites.

Recommendation # 5: Inform students that being under the influence of alcohol is no excuse for inappropriate behavior. All sanctions will apply.

Recommendation # 6: Develop campus rules and policies through appropriate governance procedures.

Recommendation # 7: Partner with the community and law enforcement agencies to provide a safe off-campus environment, to enforce applicable legal sanctions, and to encourage legal and responsible behavior among students.